

Congleton Integrated Transport Working Group Meeting

NOTES OF MEETING – Meeting called to discuss CEC Speed Management Review future paper

Date: Friday 8th October

Location: Zoom Meeting

Time: 9am – 10am

Present: Cllr Suzy Firkin, Cllr Margaret Gartside, Cllr Kay Wesley, Cllr Amanda Martin, Ant Bolding (Active Travel), Jackie MacArthur.

Item	What was discussed / description	Actions	By whom	By when
1	Apologies	Cllr Suzie Akers Smith, Cllr Duncan Amies		
2	<p>Understand that CEC is discussing a Speed Management Review for the whole Borough and would like feedback from the Towns and Parishes. The Review is due to be discussed at CEC Transportation and Highways meeting on the 16th November. Group considering making recommendations to Council (21st October) for them to formulate the Town Council's view.</p> <p>Considered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Town Council's current recommendations or discussions around 20mph Town Centre speed limits b) Other speed limit requests where residents have asked CTC for support in changing a speed limit c) Latest research on issues around traffic speed <p>The Group discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impact of speed reduction on the environment noise reduction Impact on safety and perceived safety Impact on choice of modes of transport Need to do improve conditions around schools - Speed limits on residential estates Ability of Link Road to remove faster through traffic 	<p>Agreed for Jackie to use the notes from the meeting and notes from previous council resolutions to draft a paper for the group to present at Council.</p> <p>Group to consider the paper and make amendments</p> <p><i>NOTE: Paper drafted, but after discussions with officers at CEC and subsequent emails with the working group agreed it would be better to wait and respond to the consultation from CEC IF the CEC Highways and Transportation Committee gives the green light for the draft Speed Management Review document to go out to consultation.</i></p>	<p>J MacA</p> <p>All</p>	<p>Tuesday 12th October</p> <p>Thursday 14th October</p>
5	Date of Next Meeting	To be agreed after the 16 th November		

